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PART 1. SIGNIFICANT PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS

A. TRANSIENT TACTICAL TARGETS

ZZZ01:TRUCK CONVOY, RT 194 SGM CTY VN191225N1053322E
A 31-TRUCK CONVOY IS OBSERVED TRAVELING SE ON ROUTE 194, 8 NM
SW OF QUI VINH, AT UTM WG584237.
GFW:31 TRUCKS.

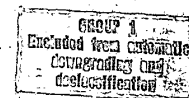
ITM02:VINH SAM SITE D32A-2 (333) SGM:NONE CTY:VN 190204N1051905E
DES:NPIC CONCURS IN THE IDENTIFICATION OF VINH SAM SITE D32A-2
LOCATED AT UTM WG334045. THE SITE CONSISTS OF FIVE UNREVIEWED
LAUNCH POSITIONS, FOUR OCCUPIED BY MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS AND ONE
POSSIBLY OCCUPIED. THE GUIDANCE AREA IS REVIEWED AND OCCUPIED BY
A PROBABLE FAN SONG RADAR AND THREE POSSIBLE SUPPORT VANS.
MIS:4 SA-2 MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS.
ELC:PROBABLE FAN SONG RADAR AND THREE POSSIBLE SUPPORT VANS.

ITM03:REPORTED NEW VINH SAM SITE SGM:1516 CTY:VN 190214N1052017E
DES:NPIC DOES NOT CONCUR IN THE IDENTIFICATION OF A NEW SAM SITE
AT UTM WF35610487 AS REPORTED IN REF D, ITEM 32. NO LAUNCH
POSITIONS OR GUIDANCE AREA CAN BE IDENTIFIED. THE REPORTED SA-2
MISSILE ON LAUNCHER APPEARS TO BE A SA-2 MISSILE TRANSPORTER. A
SECOND SA-2 MISSILE TRANSPORTER IS IN THE AREA. THE SA-2 EQUIP
MENT OBSERVED APPEARS TO BE IN A TRANSIENT STATUS.
MIS:2 DA-2 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS.

ITM04:VINH SAM SITE 331 SGM:111 CTY:VN 184725N1054235E
RMK:THE SAM SITE REPORTED AS NEW IN ITEM 1 OF REF B IS SITE NO.
331. THE SITE CONSISTS OF AT LEAST TWO OCCUPIED UNREVIEWED LAUNCH
POSITIONS WITH PROBABLE MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS. SCATTERED CLOUDS
PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.
MIS:2 PROBABLE SA-2 MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS.

ITM05:VINH SAM SITE C32D-2 (323P) SGM:8F CTY:VN 190010N1051845E

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RMK:THE SITE IS UNOCCUPIED.

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ITM06:VINH SAM SITE 332P SGM:NONE CTY:VN 191047N1053155E
RMK:THE SITE IS UNOCCUPIED.

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ITM07:HON NIEU ANCHORAGE SGM:C10 CTY:VN 184748N1054618E
RMK:THE FOLLOWING VESSELS ARE OBSERVED ANCHORED ON THE SW SIDE OF
HON NIEU ISLAND, 2 NM NORTH OF THE MOUTH OF THE CHA HOI (RIVER)
AND 9.5 NM NE OF VINH -- ONE GALATI-CLASS MERCHANT SHIP (PROBABLY
THE CHICOM VESSEL "HUNG CHI 153") WITH FOUR GENERAL CARGO BARGES
ALONG SIDE, ONE MERCHANT SHIP (PROBABLY THE UK/HK VESSEL "GOLDEN
FORTUNE"), TWO LCM, TWO POL BARGES, AND TWO POSSIBLE POL BARGES.
THREE PROBABLE POL BARGES ARE TRAVELING NORTH TOWARD THE ISLAND,
APPROXIMATELY 1 NM SOUTH. THIS IS THE FIRST TIME THAT A COMMUNIST
CHINESE SOUTH CHINA-BASED MERCHANT VESSEL HAS BEEN OBSERVED IN
THE VICINITY OF VINH.
NVL:2 LARGE MERCHANT VESSELS, 4 GENERAL CARGO BARGES, 2 LCM,
2 POL BARGES. 3 PROBABLE POL BARGES, AND 2 POSSIBLE POL BARGES.

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ITM08:RAO QUA PPS U/C (NEW) SGM:8D CTY:VN 182723N1051845E
DES: A POL STORAGE AREA IS NEWLY OBSERVED ALONG ROUTE 8 BETWEEN
UTM WF324409 AND WF341417. THE AREA CONSISTS OF 25 EMPTY EXCAVA-
TIONS UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

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ITM09:PHU GIA PPS SGM:15D CTY:VN 181117N1054052E
DES:THE PHU GIA POL STORAGE AREA IS BEING EXPANDED. THE FOLLOWING
HAS BEEN CONSTRUCTED SINCE THE STORAGE AREA WAS INITIALLY IDENTI-
FIED -- AT LEAST 49 EMPTY EXCAVATIONS, EACH PREPARED
FOR TWO TANKS, FOUR SINGLE EMPTY EXCAVATIONS, AND EIGHT PUG TANKS
HAVE BEEN ADDED TO THE FACILITY. THE STORAGE AREA APPARENTLY WILL
BE SERVED BY THE NORTH/SOUTH PIPELINE. A CONNECTING LINE IS
OBSERVED EXTENDING FROM THE NORTH/SOUTH PIPELINE AT WF716104 TO
THE STORAGE AREA.

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ZZZ10:POL PIPELINE SEGMENTS (NEW) SGM CTY VN 181330N1053857E
FOUR NEWLY IDENTIFIED POL PIPELINE SEGMENTS ARE OBSERVED ON THE
SOUTHERN EXTENSION OF THE NORTH/SOUTH PIPELINE UNDER CONSTRUCTION.
A 1.4-NM SEGMENT IS OBSERVED FROM 18-15-25N 105-37-32E TO
18-14-20N 105-38-30E. A 1.3-NM SEGMENT IS OBSERVED FROM 18-11-32N
105-40-30E TO 18-10-17N 105-40-38E. A 1.1-NM SEGMENT IS OBSERVED
FROM 18-08-05N 105-43-31E TO 18-07-32N 105-44-29E. A 3.2-NM SEGMENT
IS OBSERVED FROM 18-06-38N 105-45-48E GENERALLY SE TO 18-05-26N
105-48-40E. THE SOUTHERNMOST POINT IS APPROXIMATELY 2.5 NM NORTH
OF BAI DUC THON.

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PART II. OTHER PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS - NONE
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